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Title:

RETROFIT MONITORING DEVICE

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

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Under 35 USC §119(e)(1), this application claims the benefit of prior U.S. provisional applications 60/174,829, filed January 7, 2000, 60/176,005, filed January 14, 2000, and 60/180,281, filed February 4, 2000.

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